

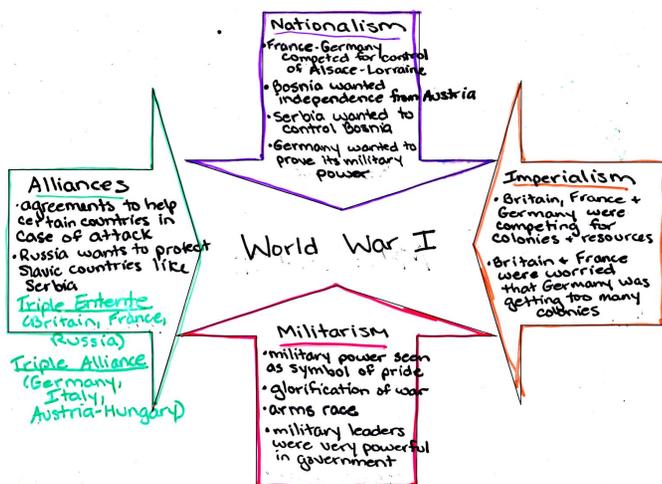
### Causes of World War One - Graphic Organizer Assignment

In this task, you will create a graphic organizer that shows your understanding of the MAIN causes, and, depicts your ranking of how you feel the causes contributed to the outbreak of WW1.

On this page, you will design a rough copy for a graphic organizer that depicts the 4 MAIN Causes of the Great War. Your final product can be either hand drawn or You will also need to indicate a ranking system in your final product. Use a minimal amount of text; add images in final copy. Justify your rankings with evidence from class and your own research. This will be due on **Monday September 25th**.


Rubric

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
Knowledge	Limited evidence of concepts and/or key terms from World War One and/or MAIN causes information	Some evidence of concepts and/or key terms from World War One and/or MAIN causes information; information is limited and/or inaccurate	Evidence of concepts and/or key terms from World War One and/or MAIN causes information; information is not explained fully and/or inaccurate	Thorough evidence of concepts and/or key terms from World War One and/or MAIN causes information; information is explained fully and accurate
Communication	Limited organization; unclear where images, key words, etc. belong on organizer	Some organization; unclear where some: images, key words, etc. belong on organizer	Key words, images, etc. are organized in distinct categories; ranking system is unclear or cause & effect relationships are unclear based on visual style	Key words, images, etc. are organized in distinct categories; ranking system is clear and cause & effect relationships are based on visual style of the organizer
Thinking and Inquiry	No cause-and-effect relationships included on graphic organizer or in-depth explanation	Some cause-and-effect relationships included on the graphic organizer; some areas need more explanation	Cause-and-effect relationships included on the graphic organizer; some areas need more explanation and/or ranking system needs more justification	Cause-and-effect relationships included on the graphic organizer; all relationships are explained well and ranking system is clearly explained



### M.A.I.N Causes of WW1

**Alliances**  
Countries signed treaties in which all countries involved promised to defend any 1 country involved that they would help. Countries promised to help each other.

**Militarism**  
When a nation's army takes over a country's government. Every country wanted their army to be most powerful.

**Imperialism**  
Some countries overpowered others by economic, political, and cultural lives of other countries. From the industrial revolution in the 1800's, some European nations had a large control of other countries in the war.

**Nationalism**  
the policy stating one nation can be viewed as separate from the interests of other nations or the common interests of all nations. Most nations had pride and they thought that that all other nations should be run like theirs.

**Legend:**  
■ Triple Entente  
■ Triple Alliance  
■ The Balkans

- The organizers on the left would be in the Level 2 range; explanations or Cause and Effect Relationships are not present.
- Could also use other items like images (1st example) and less text heavy.